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# IN THE SENATE SENATE AMENDMENT TO S.B. NO. 1303

### AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1

On page 2 of the printed bill, delete lines 6 through 10, and insert:

"(3) Any board of commissioners for an urban renewal agency whose members are comprised entirely of officials elected pursuant to section 50-2006(b)(3) and (5), Idaho Code, may exercise the right of eminent domain. However, if a board of commissioners for an urban renewal agency includes one (1) or more commissioners that are appointed to the board of commissioners, that board may act only in an advisory capacity to the local governing body with regard to eminent domain decisions, and any final decision on the use of eminent domain shall be made by the local governing body that created the urban renewal agency.".

### AMENDMENT TO SECTION 2

On page 4, delete lines 1 and 2; in line 3, delete "fice." and insert:

"(7) Any urban renewal commissioner who has been appointed to the board of commissioners of an urban renewal agency by virtue of being a member of the local governing body shall vacate his appointment on the board upon leaving his elected position on such local governing body.";

and following line 47, insert:

"(f) Upon dissolution of the urban renewal agency, title to all property of the urban renewal agency shall revert to the municipality.".

#### AMENDMENT TO THE BILL

On page 4, following line 47, insert:

"SECTION 3. That Section 50-2010, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

50-2010. ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY. (a) An urban renewal agency shall have the right to acquire by negotiation or condemnation any interest in real property, including a fee simple title thereto, which it may deem necessary for or in connection with an urban renewal project and related activities under this act. An urban renewal agency may exercise the power of eminent domain in the manner now or which may be hereafter provided by any other statutory provisions for the exercise of the power of eminent domain. Any board of commissioners for an urban renewal agency whose members are comprised entirely of officials elected pursuant to section 50-2006(b) (3) and (5), Idaho Code, may exercise the right of eminent domain. However, if a board of commissioners for an urban renewal agency includes one (1) or more commissioners that are appointed to the board of commissioners, that board may act only in an advisory capacity to the local governing body with regard to eminent domain decisions, and any final decision on the use of eminent domain shall

be made by the local governing body that created the urban renewal agency. Property already devoted to a public use may be acquired in like manner: Provided, that no real property belonging to the United States, the state, or any political subdivision of the state, may be acquired without its consent.

- (b) In any proceeding to fix or assess compensation for damages for the taking or damaging of property, or any interest therein, through the exercise of the power of eminent domain or condemnation, evidence or testimony bearing upon the following matters shall be admissible and shall be considered in fixing such compensation or damages, in addition to evidence or testimony otherwise admissible:
  - (1) any use, condition, occupancy, or operation of such property, which is unlawful or violative of, or subject to elimination, abatement, prohibition, or correction under, any law or any ordinance or regulatory measure of the state, county, municipality, other political subdivision, or any agency thereof, in which such property is located, as being unsafe, substandard, insanitary or otherwise contrary to the public health, safety, or welfare;
  - (2) the effect on the value of such property, of any such use, condition, occupancy, or operation, or of the elimination, abatement, prohibition, or correction of any such use, condition, occupancy, or operation.
- (c) The foregoing testimony and evidence shall be admissible notwith-standing that no action has been taken by any public body or public officer toward the abatement, prohibition, elimination or correction of any such use, condition, occupancy, or operation. Testimony or evidence that any public body or public officer charged with the duty or authority so to do has rendered, made or issued any judgment, decree, determination or order for the abatement, prohibition, elimination or correction of any such use, condition, occupancy, or operation shall be admissible and shall be prima facie evidence of the existence and character of such use, condition or operation.".

## CORRECTION TO TITLE

On page 1, delete lines 3 through 5, and insert: "THAT A MEMBER APPOINTED TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF AN URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY SHALL VACATE HIS APPOINTMENT UPON LEAVING ELECTED OFFICE ON THE LOCAL GOVERNING BODY AND TO PROVIDE AN EXCEPTION; AMENDING SECTION 50-2006, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING URBAN RENEWAL AGENCIES; AND AMENDING SECTION 50-2010, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY AN URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY.".